North Halton roads target of police blitz today

North Halton roads will be the next ones seeing enhanced enforcement under Halton Regional Police's contribution to the national Project Safe Commute initiative.

On Thursday, July 16, officers will be focusing their attention on Trafalgar Road, Derry Road and both Main Street and Steeles Avenue in Milton and Halton Hills.

These high volume commuter areas will see officers targeting the Big 4 driving factors— distracted driving, alcohol and drug impaired driving, failure to wear seat-belts and aggressive driving— that place motorists at risk.

A similar enforcement blitz was held on May 22 along Dundas Street in Burlington and Oakville.

During the one-day education and enforcement project, a total of 197 Provincial Offence Notices were laid, with the majority consisting of speeding and distracted driving offences.

Officers also provided several warnings and cautions regarding driving behaviour.

MAN FACING CHARGES

A Caledon man is facing an alcohol-related charge after being pulled over by the Halton Regional Police in Norval early Friday morning.

According to police, an officer on patrol witnessed a vehicle traveling eastbound in the westbound lane on Guelph St. near Adamson St. at around 2:40 a.m.

After speaking with the driver, the officer developed grounds to believe the suspect had consumed alcohol and a roadside screen test resulted in a fail.

Charged with having 80 mgs. of alcohol in 100 ml. of blood is Inderpreet Kang, 21.

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